RETURNS TO PORT WITH HOLD ABLAZE

Cotton Cargo of the Southwark Ignites, and She Has to Put Back.

201 PASSENGERS ABOARD.

Every Effort of the Ship's Crew to Quench the Flames Proves Futile.

BAGGAGE HAS TO BE RESCUED

The Red Star Liner Sailed from This Port Last Wednesday, and Was Eighteen Hours Out When the Fire Was Discovered.

After an absence of exactly fifty hours the twin screw Red Star liner Southwark, Reh left New York last Wednesday for Autwerp, raced back into this port yesterday afternoon at fourteen knots an hour. To a casual observer this great baste of eturning steamer was nothing less now the liner was in as good shape as she began her voyage. But deep dalen in her forward cargo compartment-in the lowest hold of all-a fire was cong her grain and cotton cargo.

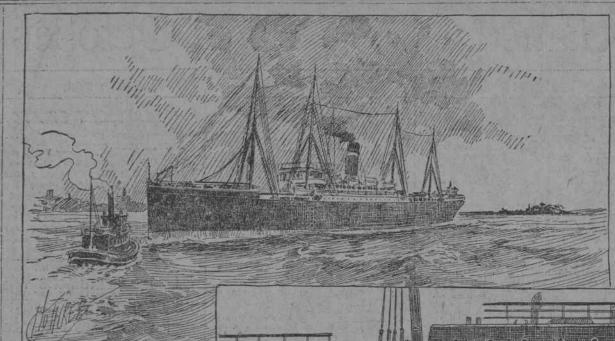
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CHURCH PROJECT ENJOINED

Court Restrains Mount Vernon Methodists from Putting Up a New Edifice. The Methodists of Chester Hill, a fash- w



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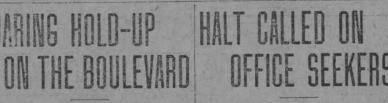
the returning steamer was nothing less those wonderful, for to all outward appear. They Will Not Submit to Examinations for Promotion.

oram Bence found, and, after stubbornly AN INDIGNATION MEETING.

Superintendent Jasper with Questions in the Dark.

It begins to look as if the school teachers of the city would go on strike unless the Doard of Education rescinds its order that competitive examinations are at the competitive examinations. moment competitive examinations must precede signal advancement. There was a remarkable indignation meeting yesterday in the ithwark chapel of the Normal College, at which 500 at New teachers bombarded Superintendent Jusper with questions until he promised to join Man and Wife in a Bug- Mayor-Elect Van Wyck Post-

It came about in this way: Miss M. A. McGovern, president of the Primary Teachers' Association, had called a meeting to discuss the proposed changes. She was astonished when members of all other associations of teachers, male and female, came trooping into the chapel, and was about to adjourn the meeting when Mr.



gy Halted and Shot At.

He told them he had heard that the Roberts Fought the Highwayman Not a Single Selection Has Yet with His Whip and the Horse Broke Away

the vehicle before the footpad was driven the with you of by the stout resistance offered him.

Armed with a clear description of the on to-day or to-morrow. Not a single selecfired at him thick and, desperado, the police are hunting for him tion has yet been made, and it is tacitly teachers and prin-why they had to tion for a justiy and all the sparsely settled districts lining better obeased if the candidates and their had the river in the upper part of Manhattan friends take this as an accepted fact.

OFFICE SEEKERS,

pones Consideration of Appointments.

BULLET NEAR THEIR EARS. A TRIP SOUTH FIRST.

Been Made, Though Claimanis Are Numerous.

A halt has been called in the consideraman and woman in a buggy in the West-ern Boulevard last night. the West-lemocratic calministration. Mayor-elect One shot was fired through the hood of Van Wyck will not take up the consideraand all the sparsely settled districts lining better pleased if the candidates and their

Cinimants for recognition are numerou The victims of this amazing attempt were
C. H. Röberts and his wife. Mr. Röberts
County Democracy. Judge Van Wyck's is a lithographer and lives on One Hundred declaration in the Journal that he would and Seventy-first street, between Tenthand put none but Democrats on guard, has the examinations?" asked to indig-t young woman. Loud applicate greeted Boberts drove downtown along the Boule-Boberts drove downtown along the Boulethis. "It will be a strike," said another, "but ward a mile or two to visit some friends we shall have the sympathy of the people." and do some shopping in One Hundred and tablished party fealty are on the specula-

United States District Attorneyship May

It is probable that District-Attorney Ol-cott will not be appointed a City Court Judge upon the resignation of Mayor-elect Robert C. Van Wyck. Mr. Olcott's friends yesterday declared that the District-Attor-The Journal's Announcement Republican Leaders Combine of His Indictment Falls ney did not seek the position. Mr. Olcott Like a Bomb. himself refused to be interviewed on the

It has been suggested that Mr. Olcott would be a good man to fill the official shoes of Wallace Macfarlane, the hold-over United States District-Attorney for this

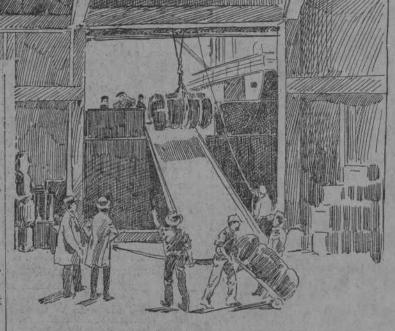
Long Island City Mayor Declares Demand on the Part of Several It Is a Plot Hatched by His Political Enemies.

IGNORANT OF HIS INDICTMENT. WHAT JULIUS M. MAYER SAYS.

ever with the Woodside Water Company, and Therefore is Not Amenable to Law.

Although but a mere tithe of the entire

copy of the Journal in Long Island City | ble for these charges are booming Edward had been sold and the demand was not Lauterbach as his successor. half supplied. People went to the libraries



Steamship Southwark Returning to Port Ablaze.

The Red Star steamship Southwark, which left New York at 1 p. m. last Wednesday with 67 cabin and 134 steerage passengers, was 275 miles out at 6.30 o'clock Thursday morning when smoke was seen curling from the combines of No. 1 hatch forward. Investigation showed that a lot of cotton bales packed above grain in bulk in the lower hold had ignited. Steam was turned into the burning hold and finally two streams of water, but the fire stubbornly held out. At 2 p. m. Thursday the Southwark was headed for New York and she made her pler at 4 p. m. yester day. It required three hours to put out the fire. The passengers are not dismayed by the mishap and they will re-embark on the steamer to-day if she can be made ready to sall.

Be His, or Perhaps a Police

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QUIGG TO BE MADE

to Free Platt of Obloquy.

RUSH TO GET THE PAPER CALL LEMUEL TOO SMART.

That He Shall Retire as Chairman.

He Says He Has No Connection What- Declares That They Pleaded with Quigg in Vain for Fusion on the Legislative Candidates.

Demands were made yesterday, as the story of the Gleason-Woodside Water Journal exclusively forefold would be the Works scheme was told in yesterday's Journal, together with the exclusive announce ment of the indictment of the Long Island of the Republican Greater New York city City Mayor for a misdemeanor, intense ex- and county committees. "Arrogance, descitement was caused throughout his balli-wick. potic conduct and mismanagement of the recent canvass" are the charges formulated against Mr. Quigg, and those responsi-

Mr. Quigg's opponents have held several conferences since election day, and theh plan is to make a show of strength at the meeting of the County Committee on the then a resolution will be presented commending Chairman Quigg for his management of the campaign. This they will either defeat or exhibit such opposition

People Will Back the Journal.

"What is more." Ratjen continued, "the good people of this town are ready to take up the Journal in its night against miscule and corruption until Gleason's power is broken.

"I am quite sure that many good people in Long Island City had knowledge of the conspiracy now exposed by the Journal. They could not help knowing something about it, because the transaction had been publicly denounced by Justice Gaynot. Still they hesitated to take action, because on the one hand they knew the vindictive nature of Gleason and were afraid of him, and on the other hand a leader was lackings.

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